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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of
van DOMMELEN et al.

Group Art Unit: 2841

Application No. 09/873,564

Examiner: LEVI, DAMEON E

Filed: June 4, 2001

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For: HIGH-PRESSURE DISCHARGE LAMP

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office action dated NOVEMBER 22, 2002, and supplementing the Amendment filed November 13, 2002, please amend the subject application as follows:

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IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claim 2 without prejudice or disclaimer of its subject matter, and rewrite claims 1 and 3 as follows per 37 CFR § 1.121(c)(1)(i).

B' 1. (Amended) A high-pressure discharge lamp comprising a discharge vessel which is enveloped with clearance by an outer bulb provided with a lamp cap, which outer bulb is translucent, is substantially tubular in shape, and is provided with a light-scattering layer.